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In re Appln. of: Boris Verman, et al.
Appln. No.: 10/787,516
Filed: February 26, 2004
For: X-RAY OPTICAL SYSTEM WITH
ADJUSTABLE CONVERGENCE
Attorney Docket No: 10544-288

Examiner:
Art Unit: 2882

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Attached is/are:

- ☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; One Sheet of Form PTO-1449 and two cited references
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Small Entity.
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| Total | | Minus | | | x \$9= | | | x \$18= | |
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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above-identified fee(s) is enclosed.
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☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), Applicant cites the following references (each listed for the Examiner's convenience on the enclosed Form PTO-1449):

| No. | Date of Publication | Patentee/Applicant/Assignee |
|---------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2,542,196 | 02/20/1951 | Haupt |
| WO 01/54137A1 | 07/26/2001 | Danielsson |
| GB 1,191,520 | 05/13/1970 | Brandt |

A copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2) is also enclosed. As each of the listed references is in English, no further commentary is believed to be necessary, 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3). Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the listed references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

By submitting this Statement, Applicant is attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

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Enclosures: Form PTO-1449 (one sheet)

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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